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## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2009, the period for response to which has been extended to February 25, 2010 by virtue of the enclosed petition and payment of the required fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as indicated in the following claim listing:

- 1. (Canceled)
- 2. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 29 wherein the tangible good is a digital storage device.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 2 wherein the digital storage device is a CD-ROM.
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 3 wherein the CD-ROM includes at least one digital data file.